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SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE was founded nearly twenty years ago in one of the most beautiful sections of the Blue Ridge mountains of Virginia by Mrs. Indiana Fletcher Williams as a perpetual memorial to her daughter, Daisy. From modest beginnings with a handful of students, Sweet Briar has come by rapid strides to the forefront of southern women's colleges. Since 1912 the enrollment has increased 300 per cent. and during the last college year over one hundred applicants were turned away. The popularity of the college is due to the combination of its high academic standard with the perennial outdoor life on its rolling campus of 3000 acres. Sweet Briar is a maker of delightful memories, charming the fancy with the beauty of its surroundings and the romance of its southern traditions and folk-lore. Its magnetic influence is felt in every section of the country; thirty-eight states are represented in the present student body.

Sweet Briar occupies the position of a National Woman's college in the south, but it cannot realize its possibilities without the co-operation, not only of its alumnae, but also of the friends of women's education the country over. There is an immediate need of additional equipment, more buildings and an endowment of half a million.

The result of the one million dollar campaign will determine how far Sweet Briar will be able to utilize its remarkable natural advantages and its high educational capacity in meeting the most critical need of America to-day—the preservation of our educational standard.

Sweet Briar stands on the red hills of Virginia.

Surrounded by the mist-veiled mountains of the Blue Ridge.

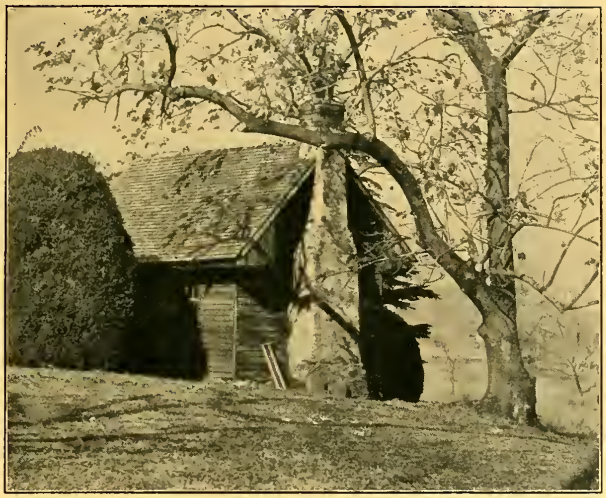
The picturesque lake winding about like a river, and adding so much to the life of the college.

Sweet Briar House, built in 1842, the home of seventeen-year-old Daisy Williams, in whose memory the college was founded. Around this place are woven dozens of fascinating ghost stories.

Daisy's garden, with its conventional boxwood hedges.

Mrs. Williams' office. Here the business of the old plantation was enacted. Now it is the Boxwood Tea-room, the proceeds from which go to the Sweet Briar Scholarship Fund.

Their Fascination to Sweet Briar



ONE OF THE PICTURESQUE OLD NEGRO CABINS.

IN SUCH PICTURES
AS THESE LINGERS
THE OLD SOUTH

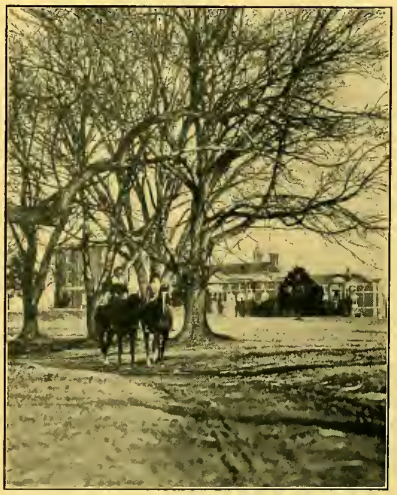
They are Sweet Briar girls of course, but the dresses are the old Sweet Briar gowns which belonged to Mrs. Williams.

BASKET-BALL

THE LOCATION,
THE CLIMATE,
THE LAKE,
THE OLD PLANTATION
MAKE POSSIBLE EVERY
OUTDOOR SPORT

SKATING

Hockey.
Track.
Golf.
Picnicing.
Hiking.



HORSE-BACK RIDING

TENNIS

Coasting.
Pageantry.
Games.
Baseball.

BOATING

SWIMMING

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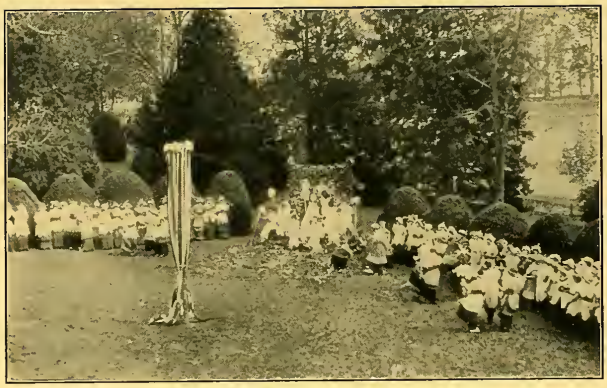


The May Day Festival, coming on the first day of May, is one of the loveliest of the Sweet Briar traditions.

A pageant in the Dell follows the formal crowning of the May Queen.

The May Queen's throne is built in the gateway of the Boxwood Circle, where before her her subjects dance and sing for her amusement.

The Sweet Briar students have come from thirty-eight states to receive the impress of Virginian culture and tradition.

The Sweet Briar degree is now everywhere recognized as the basis for graduate professional work. These two Sweet Briar graduates have just received a Ph. D. and an A. M. from Columbia.

A College With Such a Background and

It Must Have Its Opportunity

THERE IS NO CHAPEL

The temporary arrangement is a room in the basement of one of the dormitories.

There is no library building. At present one of the rooms of the already over-crowded Academic building is being used.

There is no gymnasium building. The present gymnasium is in the basement of the dormitory.

With Such Natural Possibilities Must Grow

And Its Needs Are Great

There is no real administration building. Sweet Briar House is used now, but it is two city blocks away from the college proper and should be left as a historic spot.

More of these professor's houses and an endowment to increase salaries are needed if Sweet Briar is to hold and add to its present efficient faculty.

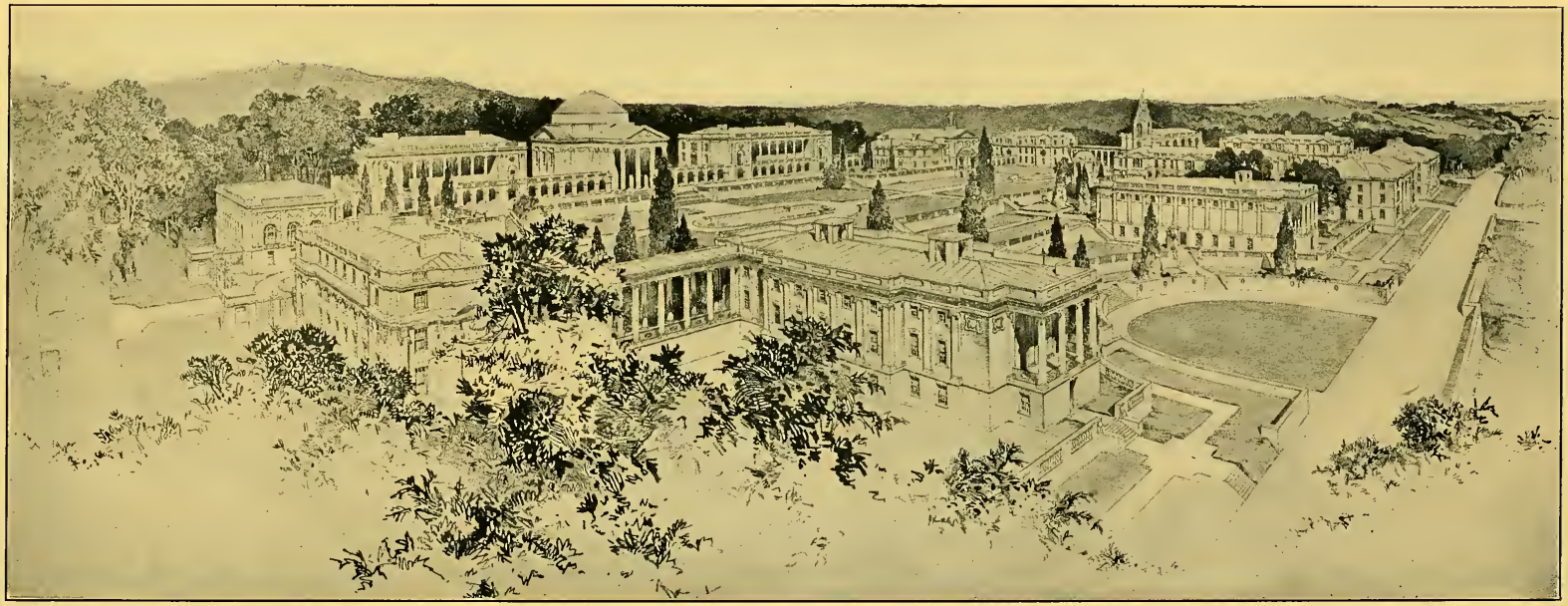
Every girl likes an attractive room.

The accommodations should be roomy and adequate.

To make this possible Sweet Briar must have more dormitories.

In addition there is immediate need of an infirmary and a new science hall.

SWEET BRIAR OF TO-DAY



SWEET BRIAR OF TO-MORROW

Help Complete the Quadrangle

SWEET BRIAR COLLEGE

TO-DAY

A campus of 3000 acres in the heart of the Blue Ridge mountains of Virginia.

An ideal climate, permitting outdoor sports all the year around.

An environment of beauty which is itself an education.

A tradition of southern dignity and culture.

A nation-wide constituency.

A high Academic standard.

TO-MORROW

Sweet Briar must either move forward or backward.

The faculty is underpaid.

The equipment is outgrown.

One hundred girls were turned away last year because of lack of room.

Sweet Briar's great natural advantages should be made more widely available.

One million dollars is needed to erect new buildings, and as an endowment fund to increase professors' salaries.

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